

RESOLUTION 23-R__

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PORT ST. LUCIE, FLORIDA, SUPPORTING SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS TO THE EXISTING GREEN RIVER PARKWAY MULTI-USE TRAIL, FROM SE WALTON ROAD TO THE MARTIN COUNTY BOUNDARY LINE; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICT; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Florida Department of Transportation (the “FDOT”) has allocated funds for the Local Projects Program (“LPP”) Grant, which provides funding assistance for local municipality projects; and

WHEREAS, the LPP Grant application process is facilitated by the St. Lucie Transportation Planning Organization (the “TPO”); and

WHEREAS, the Green River Parkway Multi-Use Trail is an existing trail, constructed in 2006, as approved by City Council; and

WHEREAS, the City of Port St. Lucie (the “City”) requested funding assistance from the FDOT for safety improvements to the existing Green River Parkway Multi-Use Trail (hereinafter referred to as the “Project”); and

WHEREAS, the Project meets the qualifying criterion for LPP Grant funding; and

WHEREAS, the TPO considered and adopted the Project in its 2017/2018 List of Priority Projects (LOPP), which will in turn enable the appropriations of funding for the Project; and

WHEREAS, FDOT has requested that the City adopt a resolution expressing support of the Project; and

WHEREAS, the City supports the Project and desires to pursue the Project in partnership with the TPO and FDOT.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PORT ST. LUCIE, FLORIDA, THAT:

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Section 1. Ratification of Recitals. The foregoing recitals are hereby ratified and confirmed as true and correct and are hereby made a part of this Resolution.

Section 2. Authorization. The City Manager and City Engineer, and their designees, are hereby authorized to take all actions necessary to work with the TPO and FDOT to accomplish the purposes set forth in the LPP Grant.

Section 3. Conflict. If any resolutions, or parts of resolutions, are in conflict herewith, this Resolution shall control to the extent of the conflicting provisions.

Section 4. Severability. The provisions of this Resolution are intended to be severable. If any part of this Resolution is determined to be void or is declared illegal, invalid, or unconstitutional by a Court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder of this Resolution shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 5. Effective Date. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Port St. Lucie, Florida, this ____ day of _____, 2023.

CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF PORT ST. LUCIE

By: _____
Shannon M. Martin, Mayor

ATTEST:

Sally Walsh, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

James D. Stokes, City Attorney